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Program Overview

Denver Public Schools (DPS) proposes a two-fold districtwide expansion of its Professional Compensation System for Teachers (ProComp), a teacher compensation system with broad staff and community support that directly links teacher compensation to student achievement and has proven effective in increasing student achievement in a 4-year pilot program. First, DPS will develop, implement, and evaluate a performance-based compensation system for principals (with New Leaders for New Schools). Second, DPS will strengthen its professional development, information, technology, and student assessment systems to ensure consistent and rigorous implementation.

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Program Information

- [ProComp General Information](#)
- [ProComp at a Glance—A Quick Reference Handbook: Chapter 9—Evaluation of Implementation and Effectiveness](#)
- [ProComp Frequently Asked Questions](#)
- [ProComp Calculator](#)

Select Articles and Reports

- Center for American Progress. (September 2, 2008). [A Promising Accord for Denver's ProComp Program.](#)
- DeGrow, B. (2007). [Denver's ProComp and Teacher Compensation Reform in Colorado.](#)
- Denver Public Schools. (November 2, 2006). [Secretary Spellings Announces \\$22.6 Million Grant to Denver Public Schools to Reward Effective Teaching.](#)

Related CECR Resources



- [Teacher Incentive Fund Grantee Summary Tool](#)
- [CECR Newsbreak November 2007](#)
- [Denver Public Schools ProComp TIF Grantee Profile](#)